

Explanation of Amendments in the Claims:

1.(currently amended) A lottery ticket construction for playing by a player comprising:

a substrate;

game information printed on the substrate;

game data printed on the substrate;

some or all of the game data being covered by a removable covering in the form of a scratch-off layer which can be removed by the player by scratching to expose the covered data for playing the game;

a battery formed on the substrate;

conductive paths formed on the substrate for conducting electric power from the battery;

at least one powered element formed on the substrate;

and a switch formed on the substrate and responsive to an action on the substrate by the player for conducting power from the battery to the at least one powered element;

wherein the ~~lottery ticket includes a~~ scratch-off layer is formed of conductive material;

and wherein the switch is arranged to be responsive to changes of conductivity caused by scratching of the scratch-off layer.

2.(original) The lottery ticket according to Claim 1 wherein the battery is printed on the substrate.

3.(original) The lottery ticket according to Claim 1 wherein the

conductive paths are printed on the substrate.

4.(currently amended) The lottery ticket according to Claim 1 wherein the battery and the paths are on a the front face of the substrate.

5.(previously cancelled)

6.(previously cancelled)

7.(previously cancelled)

8.(cancelled)

9.(previously cancelled)

10.(previously amended) The lottery ticket according to Claim 1 wherein the powered element generates sound.

11.(previously amended) The lottery ticket according to Claim 1 wherein the powered element generates lights.

12.(previously cancelled)

13.(previously amended) The lottery ticket according to Claim 1 wherein the powered element generates a change in color of ink printed on the substrate.

14.(previously amended) The lottery ticket according to Claim 1 wherein the lottery ticket includes a row of scratch-off areas and a row of powered elements and wherein each powered element is powered in turn as a respective one of the scratch-off areas is scratched by the player.

15.(cancelled)

16.(cancelled)

17.(cancelled)

18.(cancelled)

19.(cancelled)

20.(cancelled)

21.(cancelled)